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INTERNATIONAL ATHLETICS.

The Britishers in To-Day's Contest Sadly Miss the Absentees —Records Smashed.

Corbett and Fitzsimmons' Managers Strike a Snag—Race for Half Raters.

ATHLETICS.

INTERNATIONAL CONTEST.

New York, Sept. 21.—After months of careful preparation and considerable expense the promoters of the international athletic contests between representaives of the New York Athletic Club and the London Athletic Club have been rewarded with a fine day on which the supremacy of the British or Yankee athletes is to be decided. The fact that Bacon and Bredin, runners; Ryan, high jumper, and Horan, shot putter, did not come with the London team weakened their competing strength very considerably. The best judges concede throwing the hammer, the shot put and the running high jump to the Americans. There is a wide difference of opinion as to the outcome of the other events, namely, the 100 and 220 yards dashes, quarter mile, half mile, one and three mile runs, 120 yards hurdles and the running broad jump. The men selected for both sides are closely matched, and beforehand it would be difficult to say which side has the better chance.

In the 100 yards run the starters were, for the N. Y. A. C., Bernardt J Wefers and John C. Crum; for the L. A. C., Chas. Alfred Bradley and H. G. Stevenson. Wefers was first, Bradley second, Crum third, Stevenson fourth. Time, 9:4-5, equalling the American record.

In the high jum the result was: M. F. Sweeney, 6 feet, first; Balatazzi and Williams tied for second place, 5 feet 10 inches; Johnson, 5 feet 9 inches, fourth. The bar was then placed at 6 feet 5½ inches for Sweeney to try to break his world's record of 6 feet 5 1-8 inches. Sweeney went over on his third attempt, creating a new world's record of 6 feet 5½ inches. The crowd went wild for Sweeney.

A re-measurement of the high jump showed that Sweeney cleared the bar at 6 feet 5 5-8 inches, which is an increase of an eighth of an inch over the previous measurement, and one half an inch better than the world's record.

The next event, the 880 yards run, had for starters, for the N. Y. A. C.: Chas. Kilpatrick and H. S. Lyons; L. A. C., Frederick S. Horan and C. H. Lewin. The English record for this event is 1 minute 54 2-5 seconds and the American is 1 minute 54¼ seconds. Kilpatrick was first, Horan second, Lyons third. Lewin did not finish. Time, 1 minute 53 2-5 seconds. This beats the world's record.

The starters in the 220 yards run, for the N. Y. A. C., were Bernard J. Wefers and John V. Crum; L. A. C., Gilbert Jordan and Alfred R. Downer. Wefers was first, Crum second and Jordan third. Downer broke down fifty yards from the start.

Putting the 16-pound shot— N. Y. A. C.: Geo. R. Gray and W. O. Hickok; L. A. C.: Edward J. Watson. The English record for putting the shot is 43 feet ½ inch and the American record is 47 feet, held by Gray. Gray first put 43 feet 5 inches; Hickok, second, 42 feet; Watson, third, 34 feet 7 inches. Gray is a Canadian.

In the 120 yards hurdle, ten flights, 3 feet 6 inches high, the starters were: N. Y. A. C., Stephen Chase and E. H. Cady; L. A. C., Godfrey Shaw and Wm. J. Oakley. The English record is 15 4-5 seconds, held by Shaw; Chase holds the American record for 15 3-5 seconds. Chase was first, Shaw second, Oakley third. Cady did not finish. Time, 15 2-5 seconds, beats the world's record by 1-5 second.

Throwing the 16-pound hammer from an eight foot circle brought out the following competitors: N. Y. A. C., Jas. S. Mitchell and Harry P. Cross; L. A. C., George S. Robertson. Mitchel won with a throw of 137 feet 5½ inches; Cross was second, and Robertson third.

In the 440 yards run the starters were: N. Y. A. C., Thos. J. Burke and Geo. M. Sands; L. A. C., W. A. Fitzherbert and Gilbert Jordan. The English record was 48½ seconds, and the American record 48¾ seconds, made by Lon Myers in 1881. Burke was first, Jordan second, Sands third, and Fitzherbert fourth. Time 49 seconds.

The mile run brought out only three starters: N. Y. A. C., Thomas P. Conneff and Geo. Orton; L. A. C., Wm. E. Lutyens. The English record for the distance was 4:17. The American and world's records are held by Conneff for 4:15 3-5. Conneff was first, Orton second. Lutyens dropped out 120 yards from home. Time, 4:18 1-5.

In the running broad jump the English record is 23 feet 6½ inches, and the American record 23 feet 6½ inches. The competitors were: N. Y. A. C., Elwood B. Bloss and Lewis P. Sheldon; L. A. C., Wm. J. Oakley, Wellingford Mendelson. Bloss was first, 22 feet 6 inches; Sheldon second, 21 feet 11 inches; Oakley third, 21 feet 6¼ inches; Mendelson fourth, 19 feet 11 inches.

In the three mile run the starters were: N. Y. A. C., T. Conneff, C. Kilpatrick; L. A. C., Frederick S. Horan and E. J. Wilkins. Conneff was first by 150 yards, Wilkins second. Kilpatrick and Horan dropped out. Time, 15 minutes 36 1-5 seconds. Wilkins' time was 15 minutes 44 2-5 seconds.

THE RING.

THE BRUTISHNESS OF IT.

Duluth, Minn., Sept. 21.—Charlie Williams, of St. Paul, and Ed. Sheppard fought fifteen rounds here last night. Sheppard had the best of the fight up to the end of the fourth round, scoring the first knockdown. Williams then rallied and did some good work. Sheppard was groggy in the fourteenth and fifteenth rounds and was practically out when the police stopped the fight. The referee awarded the fight to Williams. At 2.45 this morning Sheppard was still in a dazed condition. Physicians were summoned and they report him to be in a very dangerous condition.

STRUCK A SNAG.

Dallas, Sept. 21.—The statement of Governor Culberson that he would stop the fight if there was enough people in Texas to stop it created a sensation, as all doubts as to the legal status of the fight were believed to have been settled by the decision of the court of criminal appeals two days ago. The attorneys of the Florida Athletic Club say they have shown that there is no law against prize fighting, and they are going to do nothing until the governor makes his move, when they will find means to keep him from interfering.

The club people are going right along with the building and making their preparations to pull off the fight. The ablest lawyers here say the governor's only means of interference is by calling out the militia, and an injunction would most effectively stop this move.

Austin, Tex., Sept. 21.—The assertion of Governor Culberson on the prize fight opinion of Judge Hurt, "that a full bench should determine the matter and thus determine the law. Whatever it is, it will be enforced," is construed by some here as showing a weakness on his part, but this is not true. It is believed the law against disturbing the peace and unlawful assemblies, relied upon by Gov. Ross, are sufficient, and Gov. Culberson is to rely on them. It is believed he will have Corbett and Fitzsimmons arrested before the fight and put under bonds to keep the peace, and if they persist and enter the ring they will be arrested and jailed before they strike a blow. Everything here plainly indicates that the power of the state is to be used to prevent the fight under the common penal statutes, no matter what decision may be rendered on the prize fighting law. Outside of sporting circles it is not believed that Dan Stuart will persist in having the fight at Dallas in spite of the governor.

THE WHEEL.

London, Sept. 21.—The National Cycle Union of England propose adopting the class "B" classification of America and Canada.

OUT FOR A SPIN.

Rochester, N. Y., Sept. 21.—D. Sheppardson, W. C. Lawrence, J. W. French and E. V. Burdy, all of Chicago, arrived here on tandems to-day. They said they were on their way to St. Petersburg via Paris and Marseilles. They expect to go to Rome and other points in the north of Italy and then up through Germany and Poland to the Russian frontier and then to St. Petersburg. The wheels they are riding are equipped for carrying baggage and the riders said their journey was partly for pleasure and partly under the auspices of the Chicago Tribune, whose wheels they are riding.

YACHTING.

THE HALF RATERS.

New York, Sept. 21.—The Corinthian Yacht club course on Centre island, at the entrance of this harbor, was a scene of great animation to-day, the occasion being the race between the little jib and mainsail vessels known as half raters, measuring not more than 15 feet racing length. The match is to be the best three out of five races for a cup offered by the Seawanhaka Corinthian Yacht Club, challenged by Mr. J. A. Brand with his Spruce IV., of England, and J. C. Field's Ethel Winn, of Indian Harbor Yacht Club, of Connecticut, was selected as the defender. The course for the first race is 2 miles to windward or leeward and return twice over, making a total distance of 12 miles.

This race was eventually declared off through lack of wind.

ANOTHER DUNRAVEN.

London, Sept. 21.—Mr. Grant, secretary of the Royal Yacht Squadron, is authority for the statement that Mr. Charles D. Rose has sent a challenge to the cup committee of the New York Yacht Club for a race for the America's cup.

—The steamer Danube sails for the north to-night. She will have a good cargo of freight and a number of passengers.

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VAN HORNE STILL RULES.

Report Denied That He Has Resigned Control of the Great Highway.

Wheat Reaches the Half Dollar Mark—Grain Men Fix Ontrio Standards.

Montreal, Sept. 21.—The rumor of Sir W. C. Van Horne's resignation from the C. P. R. presidency is ridiculed here in well informed circles.

Toronto, Sept. 21.—A number of grain men met at the Board of Trade yesterday to strike the Ontario grain standards. Messrs. H. M. Baird, T. F. Lynn, J. L. Shink and John Carrick, represented Toronto; A. B. Thompson, J. A. Meton; C. Hunt, London; and W. Brodie, Quebec. Very little difference exists between this year's standard's, as decided by the meeting, and that of last year, save in barley, which is below last year's in color.

St. Catharines, Sept. 21.—The Opera House, Bain's restaurant and the livery stable were burned last night; loss $30,000.

Winnipeg, Man., Sept. 21.—S. B. Flower, of Winnipeg, won the tennis championship of North Dakota, at Grand Forks tournament yesterday.

Wheat deliveries in the province yesterday exceeded 175,000 bushels. If fair weather continues until Monday the deliveries next week will be large. As high as 50 cents per bushel was paid yesterday for No. 1 hard by the milling companies.

Stephen Johnson Field, L. LD., justice of the United States Supreme court, passed through the city on the C. P. R. Atlantic express to-day on his way to the eastern states. During his brief stay here the eminent jurist said he had greatly enjoyed his trip over the Canadian Pacific line. Justice Field was accompanied by his wife; two daughters and Chas. M. Gorman, chief coiner of the California mint.

JAPAN WILL HAVE A NAVY

Suitable to Her New Rank—American Syndicate and French Tanners.

Paris, Sept. 21.—La Justice in its issue to-day says that the manipulation of the leather market by the American syndicate will exhaust the stock of French tanners within the next six months ruin the leather industry, and deprive workmen of employment in both the government and private factories for more than a year to come. Upon the reassembling of the deputies, General Burlinden, minister of war, will be asked what steps are proposed to be taken in order to prevent such a disaster.

London, Sept. 21.—Some time ago a firm of chartographers here received an order from a house in Constantinople for some British admiralty charts of the Dardenelles. The order was filled. The Chronicle this morning publishes a dispatch from its correspondent at Constantinople saying the charts were procured for the Turkish minister of war, and they are intended for the use of engineers laying torpedos in the straits.

Yokohama, Sept. 21.—The Japanese parliament has voted a credit of 200,000,000 yen for the building of four ironclads, ten coast defence vessels and 50 torpedo boats.

CANADA'S TRADE RETURNS

Show an Increase—89 in the Shade at the Capital.

Ottawa, Sept. 21.—The trade returns for the past two months indicate a gratifying increase in the trade of the country. The exports show an increase of $2,250,000. The duty collected shows an increase of $308,000. The imports for the two months manifest a falling off of $2,000,000.

At two o'clock to-day the heat was intense, the thermometer registering 89 in the shade. Not a breath of wind is stirring, and Wiggins insists that his windstorm will be here immediately.

CHINA AND JAPAN STRICKEN.

Two Thousand Die Daily in Peking—British Ship Reported Lost.

San Francisco, Sept. 21.—William E. Curtis, a well-known newspaper writer and executive officer of the Pan-American congress, has arrived from China and Japan. He describes the ravages of cholera in China as something frightful. The death rate in Pekin averages 2000 daily. In Shangha; the mortality was very high. Eighteen foreigners have died in the latter city.

On February 27th last the four masted British ship Stoneleigh left Melbourne for London, now 210 days out, and hope for her safety is beginning to be abandoned. If she should go down, about thirty-six lives will have been lost. The Stoneleigh was commanded by Capt. John G. Thompson, of Macclesfield, England. The skipper's wife and two children were also on board.

Marine City, Mich., Sept. 21.—The Canadian tug W. F. McRae towed the barge Oconto out of Belle River to Owen Kaines dock, a mile and a half south of Marine City last night, and a raft of logs rounded to during the night and sunk the barge. As she lies now, she is a dangerous obstruction to navigation. The people are threatening to seize the tug for towing an American vessel between American points, and the tug is lying at Sombra awaiting the result of the trouble.

TRADE AND COMMERCE.

The Week's Review of Transactions on the Stock Exchange and Industrial Market.

Business on the Whole, Though Quiet, is Satisfactory, and no Trouble Expected.

New York, Sept. 21.—The Evening Post's special London cable says the stock market is still inactive. Americans were the best market, but the rally there was entirely due to New York purchases, only professionals operating. Coal stocks were strong on the advance in rates.

R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly review says: The movements of exchange and of gold have somewhat affected all markets this week. It is confidently believed that the international syndicate will allow no financial disorder, and many are certain that an issue of bonds will come. But the root of the difficulty is not removable by the bankers named. The volume of domestic trade, unassured by exchanges is 20 per cent. greater than last year, but 9.8 per cent. less than in 1892, is not quite as near the record of full prosperity for September as for August or July. Good reports of foreign crops, weakness of flour in Minnesota, and large exports of corn from this country, all work against a rise in wheat, though scarcity of contract grades may help speculative advance. Pork products have been reasonably yielding with the prospect for the corn crop, before the close had a stronger tone. The cotton market, lifting and falling a fraction each day alternately, shows no settled tendency, big stocks balancing are undoubted, but as yet not definite decrease in yield. Stocks show a similar uncertainty, which is the more natural since tighter money may be the only remedy for gold exports. Much better tonnage reports are coming east from Chicago for September, largely exceeding last year's, and nearly equalling those of 1892. The surprising increase in production and advance in prices of iron seem to be bringing a natural check, as prices have gone so high as to cause some purchases from Europe, both of pig and finished products, and have also caused a distinct shrinkage in home demand. Nearly all mills in operation have enough orders for some months, though the present decrease in the demand is admitted. Anthracite coal has also been advanced a second time. The cotton mills which laid in stocks of cotton below six cents are enriched by the advance in material and enabled to make frequent advances in goods, which are sustained. The present demand is dull, but there are no reports of stoppage, and the threatened strike at Fall River does not come. The woollen manufacturers are doing well in dress goods and hosiery, but the demand for men's woollens is much restricted and a few mills have closed. Foreign prices for clay worsted have advanced, and mohair goods also, the price of the material having risen 165 per cent. at Bradford in a few months. The failures this week have been 213 in the United States as against 210 last year, and 32 in Canada as against 38 last year.

Bradstreet's report says:—The general trade throughout the United States shows further improvement in this the second week of September, more particularly in manufacturing and commercial lines in the east and south. From central western and some western states high temperatures have checked purchases of seasonable goods, but in the south Atlantic, the Gulf and southwestern states and on the Pacific Coast, general trade has increased in volume, with collections easier as a rule. The favorable influencing conditions are this week's heavily increased total of bank clearings, the largest week's aggregate of wheat exports within three months, the heaviest week's shipments of Indian corn in 17 months, the maintenance of full proportions of the extraordinary heavy demand for iron and steel and the significant hardening of leading money markets, accompanied by reports of increasing mercantile discounts. Price tendencies this week are more favorable from the point of view of the holder, advances having been recorded in wheat, corn and oats, after a prolonged reduction in wheat, flour, raw and refined sugar, coffee, brown and bleached cotton goods and print cloths, sole leather and turpentine. Quotations have held steady through the week for cotton, wool, lumber, hogs and lard, while decreases are noticed for cattle, sheep, pork and rosin. Wheat exports on both coasts of the United States and Canada aggregate 2,558,000 bushels. This, with flour included, is a gain of one-third over last week, but in contrast with 332,000 bushels one year ago, 4,725,000 two years ago, and 3,711,000 bushels in the like week in 1893. The total exports of Indian corn aggregate 1,605,000 bushels this week, the heaviest week's total since April, 1894.

The week's total bank clearings at 85 of the principal cities of the United States are $1,081,861,381, an increase over a year ago of 20.3 per cent. Outside of New York city the clearings were $453,699,688, an increase of 8 per cent.

The clearings for the Dominion of Canada were: Montreal, $11,679,549, decrease of 4 per cent.; Toronto, $5,476,255, increase, 15.4; Halifax, $1,115,143, increase, 8.8; Winnipeg $997,424, increase, 7.3; Hamilton, $780,876, increase, 4.9. Total, $20,049,247; increase, 2.5.

To-day's stock market was in a good many respects a repetition of the feverish backing and filling in price that has been familiar of late. The movements were for the most part directly attributable to the professional cliques which are now predominant in the manipulation of the industrials. Both money on call and rates of sterling exchange were advanced. The first mentioned development was favorably regarded as it has been declared that the gold exports would not survive a four per cent. money market. At the same time the supply of money available is exceptionally large. The fact that only a slight engagement of gold was made on a day that is usually conspicuous in a week for heavy withdrawals was encouraging. The exportation of effective harmonious action at to-day's trunk line presidents' meeting was also a strengthening factor in the general railroad list. The market opened strong, and with a considerable display of animation.

A large number of country merchants have been present at the Montreal exhibition, resulting in additional business, which the colder weather has helped. Trade, however, in the province of Quebec is not expected to revive until the crop movement becomes general. Business is quieter at Toronto, but the outlook is regarded hopefully and prices of cottons, woollens and metals are very strong. Halifax wires that the shore catch of codfish in Nova Scotia and Cape Breton is smaller, but that the Bank and Bay catch are equal to the average. Vegetable crops throughout New Brunswick are good. Total bank clearings at Winnipeg, Hamilton, Toronto, Montreal and Halifax are $20,204,000, slightly less than in the week before, and slightly in excess of the total for the like period in 1894.

WATCHING THE WILY CHINEE.

The Chinese Theatrical Company Looked Upon as a Fake.

Washington, D. C., Sept. 21.—The treasury officials are keeping a close watch on the 200 Chinese recently admitted into this country at Ogdensburg, and now at Atlanta, Ga. Statements have reached the department that 40 Chinese women in the party were brought for immoral purposes to this country. The department agents at Atlanta have been advised of these matters and instructed to keep a lookout for evidence of their having been brought here illegally.

LYNCHER IN THE JURY BOX.

A Sensational Incident in the Murder Trial at Ellensburg.

Ellensburg, Sept. 20.—After court convened this morning Attorney Graves, for the prosecution, asked leave to further question Schuler, who had been passed for cause. He then asked him if he was not one in the crowd at the jail on the night of the lynching. He denied it. Graves called two witnesses, who testified that they saw him there. The court then ordered him to vacate his seat in the box. At three o'clock this afternoon both sides had exhausted the peremptory challenges, and at the same time the clerk announced that the special venire of 50 names ordered Monday had been exhausted with one juror lacking. The coroner instructed him to return another special venire of ten names at 7:30 this evening. Just before adjournment this afternoon Prosecuting Attorney Winger moved to have Lambert Raskins, Nick Mueller and Martin Holmes arraigned. The information charges them with the murder of Charles Vinson. They took till to-morrow to plead. The five men now on trial are charged with the murder of Samuel Vinson, father of Charles.

At 7:30, when the court convened, the coroner returned the venire of ten names, and the first man called was accepted, completing the jury. W. G. Graves made the opening address to the jury for the state, the defense reserving its address. William Stimson, the sheriff, was the first witness. The case promises to string out, as the defense read a list of witnesses, comprising over seventy-five names. Six witnesses were called. Several saw one to three of the defendants in the sheriff's office adjoining the jail on the night of the lynching, but none saw them in the jail.

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American News.

Havana, Sept. 20.—The funeral of Admiral Parejo to-day was an imposing public demonstration. The procession contained all the prominent military, naval and civil personages in the city. Upon the arrival of the cortege at the cemetery full military honors were rendered. No more bodies of those lost by the sinking of the cruiser have been recovered, and it is supposed that they have been devoured by sharks, which are very numerous at the entrance of the harbor.

New York, Sept. 20.—Hon. Richard Croker, accompanied by Harry W. Walker, arrived home to-day from England by the steamship Columbia. They refused to talk politics, but were more unreserved when the subject of horses and their experience upon the English turf was mentioned. "The English are great racing people," said the ex-Tammany chief, "and I thoroughly enjoyed my experience. It seems everyone in England from the Prince of Wales and the heads of the government down to the humblest citizen loves good horses. Londoners think nothing of going 200 miles to see a race."

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The Victoria Electric Railway and Lighting Company, Limited.

An Extraordinary meeting of the Shareholders of the Victoria Electric Railway & Lighting Company Limited, will be held at the head office of the Company, in the city of Victoria, on Monday the twenty-third day of September, 1895, at 8 o'clock p.m., for the purpose of informing the Shareholders of the position of the Company at the time the Receivers were appointed, for the consideration of statements to be presented by the Directors, and generally the affairs of the Company up to the present time.

HEDLEY CHAPMAN, President.
V. E. R. & L. Co. Ltd.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

Land Registry Act.

Lot 3 Block XVI; lot 25, block XVIII; lot 12, block XIX; lots 13 and 29, block XX; lot 17, block XXX; lots 29 and 33, block XXXI; lot 20, block XXXIV; lot 1, block XXXV; lot 4, block XXXVII; lots 2 and 20, block XXXIX; the easterly 2-3 of lot 21, block XL; lot 13, block XLVIII; lot 2, block L; lot 7, block LI; part of district lot 185, in the city of Vancouver.

A certificate of indefeasible title to the above lots will be issued to James Charles Prevost, guardian of the estate of Ernest Wilfred Pratt, otherwise known as Ernest Pratt, on the 26th day of September, 1895, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to me in writing by some person claiming the estate or interest therein or any part thereof.

T. O TOWNLEY,
District Registrar.

Land Registry Office, Vancouver, 24th June, 1895. 3m.

Land Registry Act.

In the Matter of the Application of Peter Steele for a Certificate of Indefeasible Title to the following portions of Sections XXXI and XXXII., Esquimalt District, viz.:

All that piece or parcel of land forming a portion of Section XXXII., Esquimalt District, together known as Lots 20 and 21, according to a survey and plan made by R. Homfray, C. E., and more particularly described as follows: To wit: Commencing at the N. E. corner of said section, thence running westerly along the northern boundary of said section 398 links, thence south 475 links, thence easterly to the eastern boundary of said section, 351 links; thence northward along the said boundary to the point of beginning, 562 links.

Also that piece or parcel of land known as Buckley's Orchard, and forming a portion of Section XXXI, Esquimalt District, more particularly described as follows: To wit: Commencing at a point on the northern boundary of the said section 14 feet six inches distant from the N. E. corner of before mentioned Section XXXII., thence running easterly along the said boundary 400 feet, thence southerly and parallel to the eastern boundary of the first above described piece of land 325 feet, thence at right angles west 350 feet, thence north to the point of beginning, 198 feet.

Also all that piece or parcel of land forming another portion of Section XXXI., Esquimalt District, bounded as follows, viz.: On the west by the last described piece of land known as Buckley's Orchard, on the south by a line drawn from the south easterly corner of said last described piece to the Craigflower road and parallel to the northern boundary of the said Section XXXI., to the eastward by the Craigflower road, and to the northward by the northern boundary of said Section XXXI.

NOTICE is hereby given that a certificate of indefeasible title to the above lands will be issued to Peter Steele on the 30th day of September, 1895, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to me in writing by a person claiming an estate or interest therein or any part thereof.

S. Y. WOOTTON,
Deputy Registrar-General.

Land Registry Office, Victoria, June 24, 1895.

NOTICE

The Annual General Meeting of the Stockholders of the Union Colliery Company of British Columbia, Limited Liability, will be held at the office of the Company, in the City of Victoria, on Wednesday, the second day of October next, at 11 a.m.

Dated Victoria, 31st August, 1895.

CHAS. E. POOLEY,
Secretary.

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NOTICE

The Annual General Meeting of the shareholders of the Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railway Company will be held at the office of the Company in the City of Victoria, on Wednesday, the second day of October next, at 11 a.m.

Dated Victoria, 31st August, 1895.

CHAS. E. POOLEY,
Secretary.

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TRACK RECORD LOWERED.

Challenger Chief Makes the Fastest Mile Ever Trotted in the Province.

Attendance at the Exhibition Very Good—Prof. Robertson's Lectures.

Although the weather was not as bright and warm as yesterday, there was a good attendance at the exhibition during the afternoon, and the largest crowd of the week is expected this evening. The receipts have been very encouraging, and if the attendance to-day reaches expectations they will exceed the receipts of last year by over a thousand dollars, and with the provincial and city grants leave a surplus.

Ther was a parade of stock at 2:30 this afternoon, and at 3 o'clock Mrs. Baker, president of the Local Council of Women, presented the prizes won in the women's department. This has undoubtedly been the most attractive part of the fair, not only for the ladies, but also for gentlemen, and when other parts of the building have been empty there has been a crowd admiring the women's exhibit. A great deal of credit is due the ladies who undertook the management of the department, those who made competitive exhibits and also those who contributed to the loan exhibit.

The horse races were the chief drawing card this afternoon, and a good track and fast horses gave promise of some fast races.

SOME RECORDS BROKEN.

Those who attended the race meeting at Stanley Park yesterday afternoon saw the fastest mile that has ever been trotted on a British Columbia track. The work was done by Jones & Smith's bay stallion Challenger Chief, driven by J. Green, who did the mile in 2:21½, just 7½ seconds faster than it had ever before been done on the Stanley Park track. It was in the free-for-all trotting and pacing, for a purse of $425. There were but three starters, Challenger Chief, Davis Boy of Tacoma, and Dr. Hall's bay gelding Mink, of Victoria. They proved the fastest trio that has ever come together in the province, and the large crowd at the track witnessed some really good sport.

The first heat was won by Mink, driven by J. H. Gannon, in 2:28 1-5, four-fifths of a second faster than the previous track record. Challenger Chief took second place and Davis Boy third. The heat was a pretty one, but nothing to what was to follow.

Slower time was made in the second heat, but it was nevertheless a good trial of speed. Mink made the running for the first quarter, but went into the air and gave first place to Challenger Chief, who maintained the lead, with Davis Boy at his wheels. The stallion was too much for the other competitors, however, and he had the race pretty much to himself, Davis Boy and Mink fighting for second place. Challenger Chief finished in 2:29 1-5.

Another notch was taken off the track record in the third heat, Challenger Chief finishing in 2:27 2-5. The heat was pretty much of a procession, the stallion taking the lead and keeping a big gap between himself and the other pair until the last turn was reached, when by making a wide turn Green allowed Davis Boy to come up on him on the inside. It was then a lively sprint for the wire, the two coming up the stretch neck and neck, and Challenger Chief coming under the wire just a neck ahead of Davis Boy. Mink, who trotted a game race against better horses, was not far behind.

It was now useless to attempt to affect the betting. Challenger Chief started in the third heat to show the audience some fast trotting. He got a little the worst of the start and broke after going a hundred yards. This gave Mink and Davis Boy a slight start, which they maintained to the quarter, when on their going into the air simultaneously, Challenger Chief took the lead. He got down to work like a machine and continued to increase the distance between himself and his competitors. He finished without another skip in 2:21½, which means about 2:15 on a mile track. Davis Boy and Mink had a hard fight for second place, which was finally secured by the former. They just saved being distanced.

The three-quarter mile dash for horses foaled in the province, and which had never won public money, was a walk over for James Meldram's Marcella, ridden by Sankey. The other starters were W. Millington's Bounty and ... Duncan's Starlight. It was a good race for the first half, and after that Marcella took the lead and won easily, with Bounty second. Time, 1:29 2-5.

There were three starters in the gentlemen's road race, Fleeta F., owned by F. M. Kenler and driven by J. Bowker; King & Casey's Howard W., driven by W. J. McKeon, and Col. Snell's Harvey Glenn, driven by the owner. Fleeta won two straight heats in 2:49½ and 2:47½. In both heats she was closely pressed by Howard W., but he could not keep his feet while she trotted both heats without a skip.

C. Christodola's Satan, H. Murray's Daisy Bell and H. H. Simpson's Florencia started in the race for polo ponies. Daisy won hands down, with Florencia a poor second and Satan a still poorer third.

The races on the whole were good, but the long waits between the events were very annoying, being caused by the fact that there was no clerk of the course.

FEEDING OF ANIMALS.

Prof. Robertson yesterday afternoon delivered an instructive and interesting lecture on "The feeding of Domestic Animals." The first thing to do was to use the mind intelligently. The farmers, he was glad to say, were more given to thinking than they formerly were. A farmer must think about his cows and the food to give them. Albuminoids were fed to cows in order that they may be in their milk for human food. The soil, climate and water of the province are favorable for cattle, but other countries were also favorable and came up into the market in competition. He argued that it was therefore necessary to use skill to obtain the best results. Skill was also necessary in cultivating the soil, the cost being reduced by cultivating crops for the purpose in view. All the daily nutrition a cow required could be placed in two hats, but owing to the formation of her digestive organs she needed bulky food, for she swallowed hastily and then had to ruminate her food. It was only necessary to feed a cow twice a day, but the food must be plentiful, bulky and juicy—not dry hay alone. Cows should be kept comfortable and clean as they made milk by the expenditure of a large amount of nervous energy. The cows should be handled carefully and the stables kept clean and light. If this was done more milk of a better quality would be obtained and the danger to young children removed. Gentleness and kindness to stock paid well. The Professor next touched on co-operative creameries. A man could handle the milk of 400 cows in a creamery in a day, while it took half a woman's time to make buter from the milk of ten cows. It was true economy not to make the farmer's wife wear herself out making butter when it could be made so much easier in the creamery. The feeding of calves should not be left to the smallest boy on the farm, as they required to be well and regularly fed. After referring briefly to the care of pigs, Prof. Robertson closed a very interesting lecture.

On motion of Dr. Milne, the Professor was tendered a vote of thanks.

ANNUAL MEETING.

There was a fairly good attendance at the annual meeting of the British Columbia Agricultural and Industrial Association, held last evening. Dr. Milne, the president, was in the chair. The following officers were elected:

President, Dr. G. L. Milne (re-elected); first vice-president, J. T. Wilkinson, Chilliwack; second vice-president, Major Mutter, M.P.P., Somenos; hon. treasurer, R. Seabrook (re-elected); honorary secretary, A. J. Dallain, Victoria; trustees, N. Shakespeare; D. R. Ker, C. E. Renouf and J. H. Todd (all re-elected.)

Directors: Henry Kipp, Chilliwack; W. H. Ladner, Ladner's; Thos. Cairns, Comox; M. Heatherbell, Hornby Island; G. Hadwin, Somenos; M. Dean, Saanich; C. Dean, Cedar Hill; T. J. Trapp, Westminster; A. H. B. Macgowan, Vancouver; Prof. Sharpe, Agassiz; Dr. Tolmie, W. J. Pendray, J. Lamberton, D. R. Ker, N. Shakespeare, C. E. Redfern, B. R. Seabrook, Mrs. William Grant, M. Baker.

Votes of thanks were tendered Prof. Robertson, Dominion dairy commissioner; Mr. Ruddick, of the travelling dairy, and his assistant, Mr. Marker; the local Women's Council; Mr. C. E. Renouf, the retiring honorary secretary, who held the position for ten years and to Prof. Sharpe, of the Agassiz Experimental farm.

There was some discussion on different points in which the fair could be improved next year, some good suggestions being made.

EXHIBITION NOTES.

Two two year old fillies by A. K. Munro's Storm were prize winners. One is owned by Mr. D. F. Adams and the other by the Broadmead farm.

The directors have reversed the ruling of the judges who decided that stallions were ruled out of the competition for the prize offered by the Victoria Truck and Dray Company for the best groomed horse. The protest was made by the Tolmie Estate, whose stallion Lollard was barred out.

Mrs. A. Leech won the prize offered by Geo. Powell & Co. for the best loaf of bread made from any Canadian flour in the prize range at the exhibition. The prize was a Duchess of Oxford range. Mrs. James Tait won the second prize, a box of tea offered by Speed Bros.

The Albion Iron Works Co's prize, a parlor heating stove, for the best loaf of bread baked in one of their No. 8 Victoria ranges, was won by Mrs. J. L. Smith. Miss Siddall won the second prize, a barrel of Columbia flour. The company also furnished the flour for the contest.

JANITOR AND PAWNBROKER

Tell Rather Convicting Stories of Theodore Durrant's Actions.

San Francisco, Sept. 21.—The prosecution in the case of Theodore Durrant announced to-day that its witnesses will be through with direct examination next Wednesday. The crowd at the trial to-day exceeded that of any previous day since the case opened. The women outnumbered the men two to one. Half an hour before court opened there was not even standing room. At the same time hundreds of citizens were held at bay by a small squad of police and deputy sheriffs.

George King, the organist of Emanuel church, was re-called for further cross-examination. After a few unimportant questions from the opposing attorney, King was excused to the general surprise, it having been expected that the prosecution would interrogate closely upon alleged variation in his statements concerning Durrant made at different times.

Frank A. Sademan, formerly janitor of the church, testified that on April 3, the day Blanche Lamont disappeared, the gas fixtures were in perfect order. During a few days in March the gas company had finished some work on the church and gas escaped in no place thereafter except a trace which was hardly perceptible from a loose key in one chandelier. The witness then detailed his meeting with Durrant at the ferry on the afternoon of April 12th. Durrant then stated that he had heard Blanche Lamont was to cross the bay that day with a companion and that he wished to intercept her and induce her to return home. Witness said that in the latter part of March Durrant and King had put a new lock to which they only had keys, on the library door. They had stated their object was to keep out of the library persons who had no business there. The ex-janitor testified that several times he had found doors in the church unlocked. The doors opened into interior rooms and closets and he had attached no importance to their being left unlocked.

Adolph Oppenheim, a pawnbroker, testified that between the 4th and 10th of April, Durrant came to his store and offered for sale a ring with a small chip diamond. The witness selected a ring from those identified as belonging to Blanche Lamont and said that was the ring offered him by Durrant. He had declined to purchase it and Durrant had taken it away with him. The witness described Durrant's conduct on that occasion and said he could not be mistaken in the ring, which he identified by a square shell on top in which the diamond was set like a star. The witness had never seen another ring like it. Oppenheim said that since testifying at the preliminary examination he had received two letters offering him bribes to modify his testimony. One of the letters offered him $500 on condition that he state on the witness stand that he could not positively identify Durrant. He was not to see anyone in connection with the bribe until after he had given his testimony, when the money would be paid to him. The second letter was of a similar character. The witness said he had turned both letters over to the police.

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—Galvanized wire chicken fencing at cut prices. Shore's hardware.

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Writing an exact man,
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BOTISHERS GET THE BENEFIT

Of the American Tariff on Coal—A Change Sought.

San Francisco, Sept. 21.—The foreign tramp steamers that have driven the sailing vessels off the coast, are carrying British Columbia coal to this port for $1.75 a ton. The new tariff law, which lowered the duty from 75 cents to 40 cents a ton places the foreign coal on a par with the Washington product. Again, the low tariff has increased the imports of coal from Australia to more than double in the past two years. Foreign bottoms paying seamen from $7.50 to $10 a month are enabled to bring coal from the colonies for 25 cents a ton less than American vessels. Between the low freight rate and the tariff, American shipping is being gradually smothered to benefit British coal miners and the owners of foreign vessels. In the same manner proportionately, the output of the mines on the Pacific coast is decreasing and American workmen and those dependent on them are the sufferers. There is not a shipowner, a coal or lumber dealer in San Francisco but who appreciates the necessity of tariff protection to American productions. In a unit they are demanding a high protective tariff on lumber, coal and wood.

New Comforts For Railroad Men.

An innovation is welcome which combines an increase of comort and economy. Most people will only need to be told once of the windproof qualities of Fibre Chamois and the warmth it will give to a coat, vest, or wrap of any kind to make them want to try it. Then they will find out for themselves that it doubles the warmth of a garment without adding weight. Some sensible person proved this in time to arrange that all the new uniforms for the G. T. R. employes should be interlined with Fibre Chamois, and as a result the wearers of the uniforms will escape many a nipping wind and dangerous chill.

—Down quilts in several sizes, and at various prices at Weiler Bros, also a line of fancy cushions.

—New line of pocket cutlery just opened at Fox's, 18 Government street. Shaving outfits a specialty, guaranteed.

MUNICIPAL.

TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

Tax notices for the year 1895 were posted on the 28th, August instant, to those on the Municipal Assessment Roll for the current year.

Anyone who may not receive same in due course will please apply at the post office.

CHAS. KENT,
Collector.

City Collector's Office.
Victoria, B. C., Aug. 28, 1895.

NOTICE

Belleville Street, between McClure Street and Birdcage Walk, is closed to Public Traffic.

E. A. WILMOT,
City Engineer.
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NOTICE

Blanchard Street, between Pandora and Chatham Streets, will be closed till further order.

E. A. WILMOT,
City Engineer.
City Hall, Victoria, Aug. 29, 1895.

MUNICIPAL.

Notice to Water Consumers.

The attention of consumers of water supplied from the City Water Works is hereby drawn to Sections 12, 20, and 23 of The Water Works Regulation By-Law, 1894, which provides that from the 15th day of April to the 15th day of September, both inclusive, in each year, no consumer of water of the said water works shall use such water for irrigating except on the respective days hereinafter mentioned, namely.

In the North Ward on Mondays and Thursdays.
In the Central Ward on Tuesdays and Fridays.
In the South Ward on Wednesdays and Saturdays.

If water is used for watering lawns or gardens at other than the time hereinbefore mentioned the water will be turned off, and there shall be charged in addition to ordinary rates the sum of fifty cents for each infraction.

The above penalties will be strictly enforced.

JAS. L. RAYMUR,
Water Commissioner.

Water Commissioner's Office,
14th May, 1895. m17

$25.00 REWARD.

The above reward is hereby offered for such information as shall lead to the arrest and conviction of any person or persons tampering or interfering in any way with any manhole, ventilator, flush tank, or other part of the sewerage system of the City of Victoria, or causing any impediment or obstruction to the proper and effective operation of any portion of the said system, except when acting under instructions from the City Engineer or Sanitary Officer.

By order.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.

Victoria, B.C., August 1st, 1895.

$10 REWARD.

The above mentioned reward is hereby offered for such information as will lead to the conviction of any person or persons breaking the glass of the window of any unoccupied house or other, in the City of Victoria, or damaging in any way any portion thereof, or of the premises appertaining thereto, or removing therefrom any article belonging to the said premises, or defacing injuring or destroying any street sign or other property belonging to the Corporation of the City of Victoria.

By order.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C.M.C.

Victoria, B.C., March 20th, 1895.

Notice in Respect to Thistles.

The attention of persons interested is hereby drawn to sections 3 and 5 of the Consolidated Thistle By-Law, which read as follows, viz.:

"3. Every owner, lessee, tenant, occupier, or agent for the owner or lessee, of any land, shall cut or cause to be cut down, all thistles growing upon such land before such thistles have gone to seed or come to flower."

"4. Every person convicted of an infraction of the by-law shall forfeit and pay a penalty not exceeding twenty dollars."

The said persons are also respectfully informed that this is the only notification they will receive in regard to this matter.

By order,

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.

Victoria, B. C., June 25th, 1895.

SPECIAL.

To the Public.—Read the advertisements in the Times, and patronize the advertisers. The men who advertise in the Times are enterprising, wide-awake, willing-to-please-customers kind of business men, and it will pay you to deal with them. And don't forget to tell them that you read their advertisements in the Times.

To Advertisers.—The Times would rather change the reading matter of advertisements frequently, because there is no room in these columns for "dead" matter. The public, too, read new advertisements, while the out-of-date article is only examined to ascertain its age. But—and this is imperative—the copy for "change" must be received at the Times office before 11 o'clock a.m. of the day it is to appear. No "change" will be guaranteed the same day unless this rule is observed.

SEPTEMBER.

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JOSHUA DAVIES
AUCTIONEER,
Room 7, - Board of Trade Building.

The Daily Times.

BESIDE THE POINT.

The Colonist sticks to its fabrications anent the Sault canal and the Fraser river work, and we do not know that it will thereby do itself or its friends any good or anybody else harm. It is characteristic of Tory organs to lay stress on trifling points and ignore the main charges in an indictment against ministers. When it is a well established fact that money was actually wasted in the construction of the canal, of what importance is the extent to which the estimate was exceeded by the actual cost? The organs might profitably address themselves to the fact that a bonus of $90,000 was given the contractors so that they might have the canal ready for operation last season, whereas it was not opened for traffic until a few weeks ago. What does the Colonist think of the mismanagement which resulted in the throwing away of that substantial sum? Then another $66,000 was wasted by allowing defective crib work, which afterwards gave way and had to be repaired. Other contractors tendering for minor portions of the work were "frozen out" through control of the ground having been given to Ryan & Co., who afterwards secured these smaller contracts at their own prices, to the loss of the taxpayers. These facts established by the inquiry of the public accounts committee are quietly ignored by the Colonist and the chief Tory organ, who apparently hope to cover them up by a lot of silly palaver about the estimate. The game will hardly work successfully; the organs cannot even make the small point of convicting opposition papers of inaccuracy in regard to the estimate.

The Midway Advance says: "Although Mr. Bostock's visit to the district was very short, still, we think, it was not altogether barren of result. The meeting at Grand Forks was eminently successful, while at Midway and other places the Liberal candidate was able to make the acquaintance of many of his (we hope) future constituents. Apart from the main issue of the tariff question, Mr. Bostock's candidacy should be highly popular in the Yale-Cariboo constituency. Not only because he is a man of unquestionable integrity, but as our representative he would seize every opportunity to further the interests of the district, and not make political influence subservient to private gain or advancement. Let us at least return a man to represent us in Yale-Cariboo who will not countenance the chicanery and corruption which unfortunately have so characterized Canadian politics of recent years; and a man who will on all occasions lend his weight against measures likely to spread or sow strife among the people of the same country."

The provincial government is enforcing the collection of all arrearages due in the shape of taxes and deferred payments on land. According to the estimate of the Vancouver World the aggregate of these sums in arrear is something over a million dollars, and the World fully endorses the action of the government in proceeding to collect them forthwith. "Some of the indebtedness bears interest," says the World, "such for instance, as deferred payments on land purchases by pre-emptors and others who bought some years ago. These have been given until December to fulfill the conditions upon which they bought. It is satisfactory to know that all are being treated alike and that no favoritism is now, or likely to be, shown to anyone. This is a course which should have been taken long ago. It is the only one that will satisfy those who meet their payments to the government promptly and the only policy which can be claimed to be fair all round." It is quite easy to appreciate the awkwardness of the situation in which the government is placed—with not enough money in hand and over a million dollars outstanding. But we doubt if it is wise to proceed to the extremity of evicting all the poor pre-emptors who are unable to pay their dues on account of the hard times, as reports indicate the government is determined to do. That course would be likely to do serious harm in the way of retarding immigration. As the World hints, the arrears should not have been allowed to accumulate to such a degree. And then the government should not have wasted so much money, in which case the sudden closing down upon debtors would not have been thought necessary.

THAT RIVAL SHOWMAN.

To the Editor: John Wiltshire struck the right note in your issue of Friday; the action of Messrs. Prior & Co. is almost as contemptible as it could be. The only thing which puzzled me is that our worthy Mayor, representing the rights of the people, and also as chief magistrate did not at once compel Messrs. Prior & Co. to remove their free show as an obstruction to the streets of the city. As Mr. Wiltshire points out, I hope the working men of Victoria, who are now co-partners in the agricultural buildings and grounds, will remember the action of Messrs. Prior & Co. when the Colonel comes before us for our votes. VICTORIA FIRST.

CIVIC COAL PURCHASES.

To the Editor: Permit me to help Alderman Macmillan to "explain the method the Electric Light Committee took in purchasing coal for the electric light department, he having left out some very important particulars."

Shortly after I took that department in hand it was necessary to obtain some fuel for the new boilers and Mr. Bragg gave me an order for 4 tons, it being Rattray & Hall's month. This was dumped on the wharf and the engineer (Mr. Harren) drew my attention to the quantity and quality of it. I had it weighed. I, in turn, drew the attention of the Mayor and Alderman Bragg to the so-called coal, and suggested to them the advisability of a fresh start on this fuel question. I was, therefore, requested to draw out specifications; this I did and tenders were advertised for. The result was that the agents for the two collieries came to the city hall in company, and sent in similar prices, the only concession being the LONG instead of the SHORT ton, at the previous prices; but as there would be no cartage that concession was of no value. The combination to cinch the city for all it was worth was so glaring that I advised the committee not to accept any tender just then, as there was plenty of time to look around.

In talking the matter over with the Mayor some time afterwards, I suggested to him that as the combine did not (as I thought) extend to the Union colliery Company, of which Mr. Dunsmuir is the representative, that gentleman ought to be interviewed. His Worship replied that as he had known Mr. Dunsmuir for many years, and had every confidence that he would do what was right by the city, he would go himself. This interview resulted in Mr. Dunsmuir's sending in a tender for carload lots. On His Worship showing me this I pointed out the mistake they had fallen into, and asked his permission to interview Mr. Dunsmuir myself. His Worship granted his permission, and I went and explained to him that we wanted certain coal in scow load lots, delivered at the city wharf. Mr. Dunsmuir thereupon withdrew his previous tender and said he would send a new one on those lines. Shortly afterwards Mr. Dunsmuir went to San Francisco and was out of the city some time. On his return the subject seems to have escaped his memory, for it was in abeyance when I was dropped out of office. I afterwards saw the acceptance of his tender in the papers; but not till I saw Alderman Macmillan's letter in yesterday's paper did I know that Spratt & Macaulay had attempted to undercut it.

What I wish to point out by this letter is that Ald. Macmillan in his eagerness to score a point against Ald. Bragg, lays open to the public the fact that there was a combination to charge the city upwards of a dollar a ton for coal more than it is worth, and that on this combine being broken by a third party, one of the parties to it made an offer which the Council, by the advice of the Electric Light Committee, most properly rejected; but which he (Ald. Macmillan) would have accepted. If Ald. Macmillan cannot see the absurdity of the position he has taken in this matter he is worse than the proverbial Scotchman, who required a surgical operation to get a joke into his head.

D. CARTMEL.

—Sequah's lectures on his remedies will close to-night. He has had a great success during his stay in Victoria. Numerous persons who have tried his remedies have spoken well of them, also a number of his patients who have been treated at the A. O. U. W. hall night testify of the benefits they have derived. On Monday and Tuesday next he will give lectures on Java and Australia, when there will be a special programme of music and recitations. On these nights there will be charge of ten cents. Sequah will be at the A. O. U. W. hall on Monday and Tuesday morning from ten to twelve as usual, as there is a lot of people calling from the surrounding neighborhood.

—Further action has been taken in the unfortunate collision on Store street on Tuesday night. The police have issued a summons charging Mr. Michael Powers with fast driving. The case will be heard on Tuesday morning.

THE MAISTER AND THE BAIRNS.

(Anonymous.)

The Maister sat in a wee cot hoose,
Tae the Jordon's waters near,
An' the fisher folk crush'd and crooded roon,
The Maister's words to hear.
An' even the bairns frae near han street,
Kept mixin' in wi' the thrang,
Laddies and lassies, wi' wee bare feet,
Jinkin' the crood amang.
An' ane o' the twal at the Maister's side,
Ris up an' cried aloud:
"Come, come, bairns, this is nae place fur you,
But the Maister said as they turned tae go,
"Let the wee bairns come to me."
An' He gaithert them roon Him whaur He sat,
An' liftet ane up on His knee.
Aye, He gathert them roon Him whar He sat,
An' He straiket their curly hair,
An' He said tae the wonnerin' fisher folk
Wha croodet aroon Him there:
"Send na the weans awa' frae me,
But raither this lesson learn,
That nane 'll win in at Heaven's yett
Wha is na as pure as a bairn.
An' He that has ta'en us for kith an' kin,
Tho' a Prince o' the Faur Awa',
Gathert them roon Him whaur he sat,
An' blessed them ane an' a'.

ACETYLENE EXPERIMENTS.

Interesting Facts Relating to This Remarkable Gas.

Both in this country and abroad tests have been made as to the light and heat giving power of acetylene as to the amount of oxygen required for combustion, writes S. E. Tillman in the Cosmopolitan. When burned with the proper supply of air to give the greatest luminosity, acetylene yields from 10 to 12 times as much light as is given by an equal volume of good coal gas burned in a common Argand burner; the disparity betwen the light effects is still greater when the coal gas is burned in the ordinary fish-tail burners. The lighting value of acetylene is about four and one half times that of good coal gas when consumed in the new Welsbach burner.

The temperature of the acetylene flame is less than that of the common gas flame, and the heating effects are much less. For equal light acetylene produces about four-fifths as much carbonic acid as does the Welsbach gas burner, and only one-sixth as much as aqueous vapor. With the ordinary gas burners these objectionable waste products are much greater than with the Welsbach, for the consumption of gas for equal light is much greater. For equal lighting effect acetylene requires less than one-half as much air as is consumed by the Welsbach burner, and the proportion is very much less as compared with the common gas burners.

Acetylene can be liquefied by a comparatively moderate pressure. It can be kept in the liquid and easily converted into gas by reducing the pressure, and is then ready for combustion. On account of the great saving of space it is probably in this liquid form that it will find most convenient application in many cases of isolated lighting, such as buoys, lighthouses, and perhaps in private dwellings. In this form it will be especially convenient for use in enriching common coal gas, and this very probably will be one of the most immediate applications.

Acetylene light is pure white, and it therefore shows more truly the natural color of objects. It is now thought that calcium carbide will be produced at a cost not exceeding $5 a ton. If this expectation be realized acetylene will certainly prove the ideal illuminating gas, if not the ideal illuminant.

It is interesting to recall the fact that the developments in electricity have made the production acetylene practicable and that the two agents will now be competitors in the field of illumination.—Philadelphia Record.

—There is considerable freight at the outer wharf awaiting shipment to Honolulu and Sydney on Monday on the steamship Miowera. It includes 500 barrels of cement from Roche Harbor, 1250 cases of canned salmon, several tons of potatoes, some feed and millstuffs and general freight. It is not known yet at what hour the Miowera will leave Vancouver on Monday.

—The members of the Tacoma Chamber of Commerce who came up for the exhibition returned home last evening on the steamer City of Kingston. The boat was held until 9:30 o'clock to give them a little further time in the city. The members of the party were very warm in their expressions of thanks for the kindness shown them during their stay in the city.

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James Savage, Robert Arbuthnot, Arthur Boyce and Joseph Laundree, all of Rat Portage, and Morris Mallory, of Toronto, are seeking incorporation as the Rat Portage Fish Company, with a capital of $40,000.

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Per steamer Charmer from Vancouver—Chief Justice Davie, F Crowther, W G Mackenzie, T Allice, C R King, H Maynard, E C Powell, R E Gosnell, J B Gordon, J A Thomsen, W A Ward, Mrs J C Keith, R McIsac, F Elworthy, W B Smith, C G Holt, J W Fraser, Mrs Fraser, Mrs Jos Blaney, S Tytler, J Haughton, A McKenzie, C L Behnsen, G A Jordan, Dr Harrold A C Flumerfelt, G A Kirk, Gus Leiser, E B Marvin, J W Weller, B W Pearse, J Piercey, R J Ker, H C Wilson, Mrs Williams, D B Mann, Miss Mann, G W DeBeck, Miss Crockford.

Per str City of Kingston from the Sound—E G Harmon, G B Nelson, Mrs Munyon, W P S Kelling, Miss Olen, E Lang and wife, J B Powell, W A McCone, G W Willey, J W Clark and wife, H H Baker, Mrs Fever, P Coggle, Mrs Erb, Mrs Miller, A W Gray, Mrs M M Nichols, Mrs Coyzer and child, F Towner and wife, E M Curl, F J Crosker.

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LOCAL NEWS.

Gleanings of City and Provincial News in a Condensed Form.

—Mrs. E. B. Carmichael yesterday received the sad news of the sudden death of her youngest sister, Miss Dougall, of Chicago.

—Class firing by the Garrison Artillery was resumed at Clover point this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. A large number of the men had already performed that part of their duty.

—Peter and Mary, two Indians, partook of more "fire water" than they could manage yesterday and sobered up in the city jail last night. They were convicted and fined $5 apiece in police court this morning.

—All Orangemen are requested to attend a meeting at Orange hall, Duck block, Broad street, this evening, to make arrangements for a reception to be tendered Hon. Clarke Wallace, Supreme Grand Master of the order.

—Sabbath services were held this morning in the Temple Emanu-el. Miss Ray Frank preached a sermon which was specially addressed to women and children. On Tuesday evening Miss Frank lectures at the Temple on "The Art of the Nations."

—John E. Stewart, charged with the theft of goods to the value of $40 from his wife, was arraigned in police court this morning. The prosecution was not ready to go ahead, and a remand requested by Sergeant Walker was granted. Monday was the day set for calling the case up again.

—The ladies and gentlemen cyclists of the V. W. C. will have a run out to Goldstream to-morrow, returning home in company at 5 o'clock. The party intend to lunch at the Goldstream house at 3 and all wheelmen and wheelwomen who can do so are invited to join in the run and enjoy a pleasant autumn afternoon wheel.

—At 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon Prof. Robertson, at the invitation of Hon. Col. Baker, went to Central school and addressed a number of scholars on "Foods." He treated the subject in a very interesting way and greatly pleased his young hearers. He described the elements composing foods and described the changes which they undergo.

—Rev. J. Bushell, late of Port Angeles, prospective pastor of the new congregational church in this city, will preach morning and evening in Temperance Hall, to-morrow, Sunday. The rev. gentleman was unexpectedly detained in Port Angeles last Sunday owing to the death of a member of his old congregation, but will be at his post to-morrow all being well.

—The Sir William Wallace Society had a very pleasant meeting last night. The most interesting part of the programme was the reading by the secretary of a paper on the Scots, written by a Frenchman in the fourteenth century. There were songs, recitations, dancing and pipe music as well. Next week some of the men of H. M. S. Royal Arthur will furnish the programme of the evening's concert.

—A pleasant and profitable session of Triumph Lodge, I. O. G. T. was held in the Masonic Hall, Esquimalt, on Thursday evening, when two candidates were initiated. There was a large turn out of members owing to a fraternal visit being paid by Perseverance Lodge, No. 1. After refreshments were served there was a good programme of vocal and instrumental music, concluding with some interesting tableaux.

—John Williams of Vancouver, has purchased a half interest in the Excelsior Brewery from Mr. Steve O'Brien, and has assumed the position of manager of it. The deal has been on for some time past and was finally consummated a few days ago. The price paid is not stated, but a round sum changed hands. Mr. Williams has been interested in the industry for some time and at present owns a large share in the Red Cross brewery of Vancouver. He will, however, spend about all of his time in Victoria directing the affairs of the Excelsior. The brewery business has grown very much and requires the constant attention of a manager.

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Members of the Board of Trade Excursion Return Home Greatly Pleased.

There is Business to be Had if Victorians Will Strive to Get It.

A number of the members of the B. C. board of trade excursion to Kootenay arrived home by the Charmer last night. Those in the party were G. Leiser, F. Elworthy, G. A. Kirk, E. B. Marvin, A. C. Flumerfelt, J. Weiler, B. W. Pearse, R. J. Ker, J. Piercy and H. G. Wilson. President D. R. Ker went on east to Edmonton where the firm have erected a mill and will not be here for two weeks yet. The remainder of the party will arrive in a day or so. Those in the advance guard are simply delighted with their trip. To those who had never been in the country before—and many never had—Kootenay was a revelation. They marvel at its richness, are assured of its future and do not tire of singing its praises. And, best of all, they say that there is business to be done there by Victoria merchants and they are going to make every endeavor to do it. Every possible facility to aid them in seeing the district with its many mines was placed at their disposal, and at every point from Revelstoke around the circuit the greatest kindness was shown them. It was a round of kind receptions, everybody they met extending them every courtesy, and as stated they are home simply delighted. They followed the route announced several days ago and accounts of their particular stops and visits have already been made public.

A Times reporter saw several of the party this morning. Vice-President Gus Leiser was specially enthusiastic. Said he: "It is a great country, and there's lots of business being done there now. Its future is assured, and I feel that it will be the greatest district in all Canada. We should have been on the ground before, as the lines of business are established, but if we work for it we can get our share. The most of the trade at present is with Winnipeg, but with all things equal I know the merchants would prefer to trade with a provincial city. Mr. Brown, of the C. P. R., accompanied us throughout our trip and promised to do his share towards putting freight rates on a basis that will give us an equal chance with other places. There is an advantage which we possess over the east and it is in the matter of quick orders. We can deliver goods in the district in three days from Victoria, while the best that an eastern city can do is about 16 or 18 days. The people are inclined to be very friendly and as I said, if we are willing to do our part we can get business. We were most kindly treated throughout the entire district by everyone and at the meeting on Wednesday next I am going to propose a resolution thanking the many people to whom we are indebted. Our report on the trip will be presented at that meeting by the secretary and will be incorporated in the annual report, which has been kept back. We are also going to discuss the trouble at Rossland over the staking off of claims, and will very likely send a delegation or memorial to Hon. Col. Baker, minister of mines, and try and have the matter straightened out."

A. C. Flumerfelt said: "I would not have missed the trip for anything, for it did me and all of the party a world of good. People had talked to me of the greatness of Kootenay, but their statements seemed so extravagant that I could not grasp them. I did not doubt their word, but simply could not appreciate what they said. Now that I have seen the district I know what they said was true. It is simply marvellous, the great wealth that is being taken from those mines. We were everywhere treated with the greatest kindness. I would like to refer to the service on the Columbia river. It is simply excellent. The steamer Nakusp in particular is very fine; no man has a right to expect anything better. There are more gold mines in Kootenay than have already been developed, and the great days of the district are still to come. We are all delighted with our trip and feel that much good will come of the excursion. Why, it is worth a man's time to go up and see just one of those big mines."

Mr. Joe Weiler, of the firm of Weiler Bros. is thoroughly pleased with the outing from more than one point of view. In the first place he says the people up there are royal entertainers, who left nothing undone to promote the pleasure of the visitors. Then, although the business results of the journey are yet comparatively in their incipiency, there is no doubt but that a good trade can be built up with the people of that section of the country. Mr. Weiler's firm, although they have a provincial reputation already, will no doubt come in for a share of the commercial transactions that are expected to develop into solid trade between the capital and the great mining centres. On the whole Mr. Weiler is satisfied with his outing.

H. G. Wilson was also very much pleased. Among other things he said: "I am going to advise my friends to go to Kootenay on their vacation trips, and I will guarantee that they will call it profitable. It is so instructive to a man who was never in a mining district. The district is being developed in great strides, and an immense amount is being done. We were particularly interested in the smelter at Pilot Bay, the larger mines and the progress being made in transportation construction. We were everywhere treated most kindly by everyone. We were shown everything worth seeing and had a splendid trip. There is business to be done there if we will go after it."

E. B. Marvin said he regarded the trip as a very successful one. Said he: "There is an immense amount of work being done there, and there are opportunities for trade. The district is, of course, richest in silver and lead, and while they can be marketed the mines will prosper. There are many high grade ores and a number of mines will surely make a millionaire of everyone connected with them. Rossland, Kaslo and Nelson are in a prosperous condition, but I thought New Denver the prettiest place. It has an admirable site. We were shown about thoroughly and treated very nicely everywhere."

Robert J. Ker, after expatiating on the wealth of the mines and the future greatness of the district, had a very kind word about the fishing. He had his rod along and it brought in many a trout. He expressed the greatest pleasure at all he had seen, and the kindness accorded the party, and like Mr. Wilson says it is a good place to go for recreation and instruction.

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Vancouver Knights Visit Victoria—Exemplifying Secret Work.

A large delegation of Knights of Pythias arrived from Vancouver last evening. At 8 o'clock the spacious Castle Hall on Broad street was filled with members of the local lodges anxious to witness the work of the visiting team. The regular meeting of Far West lodge, No. 1, was called to order by Chancellor Commander F. P. Watson and the conferring of the rank of knight was proceeded with. The team, under command of Supreme Representative H. J. Austin, assisted by Supreme Representative C. L. Behnsen, Grand Vice-Chancellor Dowling, and Master-at-Arms J. Crow, gave an able exposition of the work. At the conclusion of the ceremony the Chancellor Commander and Deputy Grand Chancellor thanked the visitors. The members and guests to the number of 150 then proceeded to the Dominion Hotel, where preparations had been made for a first class banquet. The well lighted dining room was tastefully decorated with mottoes, flowers and evergreens. The supper provided by the proprietor, Stephen Jones, was most creditable. The verdict often expressed during the feast was that Host Jones deserved great praise for the manner in which he entertained the large number of guests. Grand Inner Guard E. E. Leeson, of Sunset lodge, No. 10, acted as chairman and proposed the various toasts, which included the supreme lodge, grand lodge, visiting knights and Mainland lodges. Responses were made by Grand Vice-Chancellor W. J. Dowling and Supreme Representative C. L. Behnsen of Vancouver, Past Chancellors Morrison and Fitzhenry of New Westminster, and W. Templeman and Thomas Deasy of Victoria. During the evening recitations and vocal solos were given by Frank Le Roy, A. A. Aaronson, J. Pilling, A. Robb and J. Crow. The banquet was brought to a close by singing the National Anthem. A large number of the visiting knights remained in the city to witness the exhibition. The committee on arrangements for the reception of the Mainland members, consisting of E. E. Leason, Past Grand Chancellor J. C. Byrne, Grand K of R. and S. E. Pferdner, C. Wark and E. P. Nathan deserve credit for their untiring efforts. A Victoria team will visit Vancouver in the near future.

—The sealing schooner Allie I. Algar arrived at Seattle from Behring sea at noon yesterday, and Daniel Lewis, one of the hunters, came over from there this morning. He reports that the schooner has a catch of 1200 skins. She had very poor luck in Behring sea, only getting 196 skins. She had very fair weather in the sea, too, but did not succeed in getting among the seals in large numbers. Mr. Lewis says that the best that any of the schooners will do will be in the neighborhood of 1400 skins. He does not report any particular catches, but says the Marvin schooners are in the lead.

—The Canadian Pacific Railway's new freight schedule, which also took effect yesterday, makes a material reduction in all classes. That line has always had an advantage over competitors by only charging Victoria 5 and 7 cents more than Tacoma and Seattle rates, while the other lines have charged 10 cents more per hundred. This, however, has been done away with, and rates besides being reduced are the same as those from Vancouver, Seattle and Tacoma. These reductions were promised by Vice-President Shaughnessey when he visited Victoria a few months ago.

—October 12th is to be Elks' day at the Portland exposition and excursions are to be run from the Sound and British Columbia cities to it. The special train will leave Seattle at noon on Saturday, October 12th and will leave Portland on the return trip on Sunday afternoon. The fare for the round trip from Seattle will be only $3.75. A special train is to be run from Vancouver, and it is expected that 500 or 600 people will be aboard it when it pulls out. The cheap rate will no doubt attract a number of Victorians. Full particulars can be had from E. E. Blackwood, N. P. agent.

—The Garrison Artillery band will not play a concert at Beacon Hill park to-morrow afternoon, Leader Ejnn concluding that the people have had music enough at the exhibition this week. The members of the band are to be photographed by Savannah to-morrow.

—The bark Ladas is outside of the harbor limits discharging ballast. When she finishes she will be docked at Esquimalt for a survey. It is probable that she will require some slight repairs before she is launched and taken to the outer wharf. She is under charter to Turner, Beeton & Co., to load a cargo of salmon for the United Kingdom.

—To-morrow evening at St. Andrew's R. C. Cathedral a special musical programme will be given, in which Miss K. Grunbaum, the fine contralto of Seattle, will take part. The musical service is as follows: Ave Maria (contralto solo) Cherubim, Miss K. Grunbaum; O Rest in the Lord (contralto solo) Mendelssohn, Miss Grunbaum; Ave Verum, by Weigand, full choir; Ave Maria, (soprano solo), by H. Dana, Miss Wilson; Tantum Ergo, by F. Goeb, full choir; Laudate Dominum, arranged by Bishop Lutens, choir.

—It is understood that a fresh crop of summonses for riding bicycles on sidewalks will be issued in a few days. The recent convictions do not deter the young men who indulge in the dangerous practice of coasting down the hilly streets near the schools. Constable Smith has therefore paid a visit to the neighborhood and has made a few notes.

—The steamship Topeka arrived from the Sound at noon to-day and left a few hours later for Alaska. She had a good cargo of freight, but only a small number of passengers. Among those who boarded the ship here were R. C. Rathbone and party of New York. They will make the round trip on the steamer.

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Unwilling Witness of a "Feast" and the Victim of the Tattooing Process.

Roderick McKenzie, who left Huron, Ontario, nearly forty years ago for the South Sea Islands, was the first white man to live and trade with the natives of many of the islands in that comparatively unknown archipelago. He relates many thrilling incidents in his life amongst the natives, his adventures with the cannibals of the Gilbert group being among the most interesting. The story is best told in Mr. McKenzie's own words:

I shipped as A. B. on a whaler from Sydney. After cruising about for four months we landed on one of the islands belonging to the Gilbert group. Dissatisfied with the treatment received on board, I detrmined that I would, if possible, leave the vessel. I was aided in my efforts by a native whom I met and who had been four years on board of a whaler, where he picked up sufficient of our language to understand what I wanted. He followed the whaler with his canoe when we sailed away the next day. I jumped over the bow and let the vessel pass over me. He took me in his canoe and we were soon on shore. A few days afterwards we were walking along the beach and saw about forty natives, some of whom were digging in the sand. They soon uncovered the body of a man. It seems that the unwritten code of their laws provide the death penalty for theft, or the man from whom the guilty one steals can save him from execution by making him his slave for life. This was the body of a man who had suffered death for theft. After exhuming the body they impaled it on a pointed stake. To this they fastened a rope on either side, and several men taking each end of the rope amused themby jerking the body about. I became so sickened by the disgusting sight that I ordered my companion to come away. He did so, but either for the sake of having a joke at my expense or because his cannibalistic nature delighted in the gruesome sight, he soon led me by a detour through the woods to the place from whence we came. The natives were now within the hut. We entered and found them seated around a fire on which were a number of cocoanut shells, on which something was simmering. I asked my companion what it was, and he told me it was portions of the body which we had seen. In answer to my question as to whether they were going to eat it he replied that they would not eat it but would go through the pretence of doing so. Seeing I was about to leave he pressed me not to do so, as the host would be offended, and unless we accepted portions of the feast from the host it might occasion war between his tribe and that of my companion. The host soon came forward with a cocoanut shell for each of us. I could not remain and see steaming before me portions of a human body, so I got up to leave and was followed by the host. I thought that possibly I would be the next victim, and my fears were considerably augmented by seeing the two feet of the dead man, with the soles turned upwards, resting on a stump. I started to run, but was soon brought to a sudden halt by something striking me with a sickening thud on the back of the head. Imagine my horror to see on rising that the man had struck me with one of the feet. He was standing grinning and seemed to enjoy my discomfiture. I soon made my way to the hut of my friend, who shortly after appeared and assured me that they had no cannibalistic intentions as far as I was concerned, and only wanted to enjoy themselves at my expense. He had almost allayed my fears when I saw about 1500 natives coming toward the hut. I again breathed freely when I found that they came with baskets of tarrow yams, bananas, etc., which they pressed me to take and assured me they were only joking.

Shortly after this they wanted me to become one of themselves. This could only be accomplished by my being tatooed from head to foot. I strenuously objected, but to no avail. About 1500 hundred of them surrounded me one day. They bound me and proceeded to tatoo me. They use a sort of comb, the teeth of which are made of shark's teeth, which are as sharp as a razor. They insert this into a mixture made from the juice of the green cocoanut, and which when inserted into the flesh leaves a permanent mark. The pain suffered while undergoing the operation was most excruciating, and when I thought that I was so disfigured that should I ever again reach civilization my own mother wouldn't recognize me, I prayed that death might end my sufferings.

They succeeded in tatooing both thighs from the knees up and three stripes on the right side, when one of the number who went up into a cocoanut tree to get some nuts called out "Caaibuka!" "Caaibuka!" Sail ho! Sail ho! As if by magic they all ran to their huts to get mats and hats, with which they were very proficient in making, and which they traded for tobacco. They are invetrate smokers. They inhale the smoke which produces a kind of intoxication. They urged me to go with them that I might act as interpreter. I was not loath to do so, as here I saw a way of escaping front further tatooing operations. The vessel proved to be the Clanspacket, Captain Ross master. I did the trading for the savages and then went down to the cabin and remained there. They followed the vessel out of sight of land, urging me to return. They pleaded, threatened, cried and even cursed, but knowing they would complete the tatooing at their earliest opportunity I was obdurate. I consider my escape nothing short of the intervention of Providence in my behalf. If that trading vessel had not arrived my whole person would unquestionably have been disfigured by the cannibals of the Gilbert Islands.

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RIOTERS EXECUTED.

Seven of the Participants Beheaded—The Leaders Unpunished.

Washington, Sept. 21.—Minister Denby has at last completed the arrangements for the investigation of the missionary riots at Cheng Tu. He cabled Secretary Olney to-day that the Chinese government had withdrawn its opposition to the commission, and that the latter will start at once for the scene of the riots from Teintsin, but owing to the great distance from that place to Cheng Tu, the journey, which must be made over land and without the aid of railroads, will consume at least a month. It will be probably well along in November, therefore, before the real work of investigation begins.

New York, Sept. 21.—A cablegram to the World from Foochow, China, says: Details of Tuesday's execution have just been received. After the mandarin had refused on Friday to execute any men implicated in the missionary massacres, the American and British consuls wired to Peking. On Monday the mandarin received the viceroy's order to execute seven men. At 6 o'clock Tuesday morning Consul Hixson, Lieut. Evans, and Mr. Gregory, the British consul, proceeded to the yamen gate, where the mandarin sat awaiting them. When the foreigners took their seats the drums were beaten, a salute fired, and the crier shouted three times, "The court is open!" Then the condemned men were brought speedily from their cells. They knelt before the court and were tumbled, securely bound, into bamboo cages, on which were attached pieces of paper with sentences written upon them. The mandarins then put on their scarlet robes and scarlet hoods, and the death procession started for the execution grounds outside the city, between lines of soldiers. When the procession arrived the condemned men were tumbled out and were made to kneel with their backs to the mandarins. Then the five headsmen began their bloody work. The first head fell, clean cut. When the heads of the seven men were cut off the vast crowd gave a great shout. The people clapped their hands and departed. The heads were hung in a prominent place in the city as a warning.

The mandarins professed to fear further trouble from the crowd of foreigners who went armed with revolvers, but there was no trouble. No leaders have been executed yet. Some leaders with strong backing hope to escape. The viceroy is delaying the execution of others, hoping for undeserved clemency. Punishment following the crime so soon is unusual after foreign troubles. The execution will have a good effect in showing the people that the matter is serious. A bad feeling is spreading through the province because of the delay in the executions. At Foochow the common talk was that the men would escape. The consuls' wiring to Peking for stringent orders to the local officials, who do nothing unless forced, resulted in prompt action. The Detroit is still here and one English gunboat of 756 tons.

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TIME TABLE NO. 24.

To take effect at 8 a.m. on Friday, April 5, 1895. Trains run on Pacific Standard Time.

South Bound, Read Up. No. 1 Pass. Daily.		North Bound, Read Down. No. 2 Pass. Daily.		STATIONS.
Ar 12 30 pm		Dp. 8 00 am		Victoria.
12 16		8 14		Burnside.
12 03		8 27		Gorge.
11 58		8 32		Suttons.
11 50		8 40		Hillside.
11 45		8 45		Quadra St.
11 43		8 47		Rockland.
11 35		8 55		Cedar Hill.
11 30		9 00		Newton.
11 23		9 07		Cordova Bay.
11 19		9 11		Cadboro Bay.
11 15		9 15		Henlyn.
11 08		9 22		Glanford.
11 03		9 27		Maplewood.
10 55		9 35		Cobble Hill.
10 50		9 40		Shawnigan Lake.
10 45		9 45		Koksilah.
10 35		9 55		Duncans.
10 25		10 05		Somenos.
10 15		10 15		Chemainus.
10 00		10 30		Oyster Bay.
9 55		10 35		Nanoose.
9 45		10 45		Wellington.
9 40		10 50		Extension.
9 11		11 19		Nanaimo.
8 50		11 40		Departure Bay.
Ar 8 30 am		Dp. 12 00 m		Ar 2 25 pm

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BRITISH COLUMBIA.

CHILLIWACK.

The residence of Jno. J. Ker, contractor, Chilliwack, was destroyed by fire today; loss $1400. Insurance $800 in the Phoenix. None of the contents were lost.

NANAIMO.

Nanaimo, Sept 21.—Judge Harrison on Tuesday next, will render a decision on the question of the jurisdiction of Magistrate Simpson in holding small debts court at Wellington.

The opening of the new Forester's Opera House at Wellington, took place last evening by a grand concert, ball and supper, which proved most enjoyable.

Wellington people are petitioning the Postmaster-General to have the mail for Alberni, Englishman's River and district, sent direct from Wellington. At present the mails for these places are first sent from Wellington to Nanaimo and then returned through Wellington. It is claimed that the present system does not work satisfactorily, and that time could be saved by the method now petitioned for.

Work at the West Wellington mines is progressing rapidly, and it will only be a matter of a few months when coal from this mine will be shipped from the wharf. At present shipment by rail is impeded owing to the Messrs. Dunsmuir refusing the use of their cars for this purpose. Mr. Jordan will, however, soon overcome this difficulty.

VERNON.

Vernon News.

The record for threshing will go this year, we think, to Mr. Price Ellison, who last week, in 6¼ hours threshed out 41 tons, or 1366 bushels of wheat, the grain being hauled to the machine from the shocks. Mr. Ellison has disposed of his crop to the Enderby mill, and is sending it off by every train.

Mr. A. R. Jackson is back from a trip through the southern Okanagan and the Kettle river districts, in the interest of the insurance companies which he represents. He is much impressed with the mineral wealth of these districts and expects that a marked progress will be made in the development of mines within the next few months.

The coming agricultural exhibition should in every respect be the most successful ever held in this city. An extremely favorable year has given, to the farmers, crops which can be equalled in few sections of the Dominion. Fruits, grain and vegetables have been grown in greater variety than has ever before been the case, and there should be no farmer in the district who cannot find something among his produce worthy of a place at the show. The fact that His Excellency the Governor-General will assist at the opening ceremonies, will of itself prove an attractive feature of the exhibition.

Messrs. D. Graham, M. P. P., and T. Clinton were in town this week and have been interviewing the farmers of the district regarding the proposed new flour mill. They have just completed a canvass of the Spallumcheen valley and stated that everywhere the scheme has met with enthusiastic support, only two farmers out of over 40 that were seen having refused to sign their names to the stock sheets. The stock has been placed at $45,000, which is divided into $100 shares to be paid in three annual instalments, and as the cost of the mill will not exceed $15,000, they expect to have a respectable working balance on hand.

The returns from the first car of vegetables and fruit shipped out by the Kelowna Shippers' Union were of an extremely encouraging nature. Mr. S. Rae, who was in charge, found no difficulty of disposing of the contents along the line of the C. P. R. and met with a ready market at Calgary for what was left when he reached that point. Good prices were realized and the produce gave first class satisfaction to the buyers. Another car was sent off last Saturday to Calgary, and it will be followed in a few days by another, which will go to Kootenay, under charge of Mr. H. Dell. The enterprise of the Mission Valley farmers in forming this union is commendable, and already it has proved to be of much benefit to the district, all who had produce in the car being well satisfied with their share of the gains.

MIDWAY.

Midway Advance.

Mr. Denzler is building a house on the Snowshoe claim. A shaft house will also be erected, and the owners will probably sink this winter.

Mr. Wood, of Armstrong, has purchased a large plot of land not far from Boundary creek at the foot of the hill leading to Skylark and Greenwood camps. It is further reported that a store is to be built in this locality.

Mr. Patterson is working away steadily on the Roderick Dhu. To everyone's surprise the bigger ledge of the two on the claim, looked upon as hardly worth developing, is turning out uncommonly well.

The deputy state assayer of Okanagan county, Wash., is in Boundary, and it is an open secret that he has made several purchase of mining property up the creek, a public announcement of which will no doubt be made shortly.

A band of a hundred cattle in grand condition passed through Midway on Saturday. Part of the number were brought in by Mr. Canston of the Similkameen and others by Mr. Ellis of Penticton. The animals are destined for Rossland, Nelson, New Denver and other markets in the Kootenay. We understand that Mr. Canston has taken through no less than 1000 head this summer.

Messr. Wolf and Sanders returned from the Similkameen on Saturday. They are joint partners with Mr. Brown in the great Copper Mountain property. The assessment work has been done on three claims and in every instance the ore shows up well. The average assay value is 25 per cent. in copper and from $3 to $9 in gold. An offer of $50,000 for the three claims was made to the owners last summer but refused.

Adjoining the Jewel claim in Long Lake camp, is a marshy swamp; through this swamp Messrs. McArthur and Shawnquest determined could be traced the Jewel ledge. The work was by no means pleasant, bailing the water out of the shaft with a bucket, being not only slow but irksome. After sinking for about ten feet they managed to strike the vein as they had anticipated. The claim, known as the Oro Grande, promises to be one of the best in the group.

A number of men have been working for some time at Rock Creek, sinking a shaft to tap the bed rock. Under the supervision of Mr. Young, the foreman, great progress has been made, and there is a reasonable hope of a return for the labor and capital expended being realized now very shortly. The shaft is down 26 feet and a large water wheel has been put in position, which is said to be a very admirable piece of work. The wheel supplies all the power for pumping water and drawing up dirt from the shaft. Two pumps are constantly employed. The ditch is 1100 feet long, besides 200 feet of fluming. It will thus be seen that no time has been lost this summer in the prosecution of an enterprise which undoubtedly deserves success.

Mr. Hewitt Bostock arrived last Tuesday in Midway, but owing to very pressing engagements elsewhere his stay was unfortunately limited to one day. His inability to learn the dates of the arrival and departure of the stage from Marcus beforehand prevented him from settling a day in which his visit to the district might be expected, and thus without notice it was not thought advisable to hold a meeting. At Grand Forks, however, a meeting was held and well attended. Mr. Bostock, we are glad to learn, has gained many supporters from among those inclined to be favorable to the Conservative policy—a policy in every sense disastrous to the best interests not only of the mass of people of British Columbia but of Canada.

CHOLERA'S DEADLY RAVAGES.

Chinese and Japanese Authorities Suppress Information of the Disease.

San Francisco, Sept. 21.—The steamer Gaelic, which arrived this morning from Hong Kong and Yokohama, did not stop at Honolulu. She brought eleven cabin passengers from Hiogo, the worst infected cholera district in the Orient. No sickness was reported on the trip across, and no alarm was felt by the ship's officers.

Notwithstanding the endeavors of the Japanese and Chinese authorities to suppress news concerning the cholera, the truth has at last come to light concerning the plague. Japan and North China are fairly alive with cholera germs. The Siberian officials have declared the Japanese open ports infected, and from officials it is learned 1,700 people in Japan have died from the plague since it started in the Pescadores. The disease has gained a firm foothold. In Tokio the heat is terrific, and the disease germs have been nursed by the climate into virulent life. The plague is raging in Yokohama also.

The ravages of the cholera in Japan are far greater than have been reported. Up to August 26, just before the Rio sailed, 17,358 deaths from the disease were reported.

Washington, Sept. 21.—Assistant Surgeon Arnold at present on duty on the Petrel at Foochow, China, has been ordered to investigate the plague in China and the cholera in Japan.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 21.—In the province of Volhynia from August 18 to 24, inclusive, 5,849 cases of cholera were reported, and 2,134 deaths resulted from the disease. In the province of Podolia, from the 21st to 31st of August, 101 cases of cholera and 49 deaths were reported.

New York, Sept. 21.—A special to the World from Tangier, Morocco, says the cholera was still spreading. There were eighteen deaths reported in twenty-four hours. The disease is also working southward in Africa.

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Paris, Ont, Review.

Rheumatism has long baffled the medical profession. Medicine for external and internal use has been produced, Plasters tried, electricity experimented with, hot and cold baths, and a thousand other things tried, but without avail. Rheumatism still held the fort, making the life of its victims one of misery and pain. The first real step towards conquering rheumatism was made when the preparation known as Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People was discovered, and since that time thousands have testified to their efficacy in this, as well as in other troubles, the origin of which may be traced to the blood.

Among those who speak in the highest terms of Pink Pills is Mr. Blasdell, of this town, who is known not only to our citizens, but residents of this section, and he is as highly esteemed as he is widely known. To the editor of the Review Mr. Blasdell recently said: "I have reason to speak in terms of warmest praise of Dr. Williams Pink Pills, as they not only saved me a big doctor's bill but have restored me to health which was impaired by rheumatism and neuralgia. These troubles were, I think, the after effects of an attack of measles. After the latter trouble had disappeared I felt an awful pain in my head, neck and down my back. I tried a number of remedies, but without effect. I was then advised by Mrs. Horning, of Copetown, who had been cured of paralysis by the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, to give them a trial. I followed her advice and after using a box or two I began to feel much better, and with their continued use I constantly improved in health, and am now feeling better than I have done before in ten years. I am satisfied that but for the timely use of Pink Pills I would have to-day have been a physical wreck, living a life of constant pain, and I cannot speak too highly of their curative powers, or recommend them too strongly to other sufferers. I cheerfully give permission to publish my statement in the hope that some other sufferer may read and profit by it."

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St. Paul, Minn., Sept. 21.—In the Northern German Methodist Episcopal conference here a proposition to give women the right to sit as delegates at the general conference of the church was presented for action and the members refused to vote. After their refusal they adopted the following resolution: "We, deeming the so-called Hamilton amendment proposition to be both unconstitutional and unbiblical, protest and decline to vote upon same."

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One clinker built rowing boat, complete.
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viz., 1 Lang's 12 bore choke shotgun, hammerless; cost £50; Damascus barrels; in case, all complete. 1 Wakefield double barrelled Express rifle, 45 caliber; in case, complete; cost £60.
1 Horse, Buggy and Harness.
Further consignments solicited.
This is a bona fide auction sale.
se20 G. BYRNES, Auctioneer.

Sheriff's Sale.

I have seized and will sell at the Sheriff's Office, Victoria, on Monday, the 23rd day of September, 1895, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, as the property of James Charles Prevost, the Dredger known as the Pacific, with the machinery belonging to her, now lying near Turpel's Ship Yard, under and by virtue of a writ of fi fa issued out of the Supreme Court of British Columbia the 21st day of Feb'y, 1895, at the suit of Alexander John Mouat and Alexander John Mouat as administrator of the estate of Ainslie James Mouat, deceased, to levy $41.21.10 and $3.50 for costs of execution and also interest on the said sum at 6 per centum per annum from the 21st day of February, 1895, besides Sheriff's poundage, officer's fees, etc.
Terms cash.
J. E. McMILLAN, Sheriff.
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Mortgage Sale.

Under and by virtue of the powers of sale contained in a certain mortgage which will be produced at time of sale, there will be offered for sale by Public Auction, by George Byrnes, at his auction rooms, Yates street, Victoria, on Thursday, the 26th day of September, 1895, at the hour of 12 o'clock, noon, the following property:
All those parcels of land and premises situated in the City of Victoria and known as sub-division numbers 37 and 38 (thirty-seven and thirty-eight) of suburban five acre lot number vill (eight).
On the property, which is situated on North Park street, there is a story and a half frame dwelling house.
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Firstly: All that piece of land situate in the District of North Saanich, and known and numbered on the official map of said District of North Saanich as Section 12 East Range) 6, North, and containing ninety acres more or less. On the property are a log house and a barn, and ten acres are cleared and under cultivation.
Secondly: All those pieces or parcels of land being in the District of Victoria, and known as Subdivision 19 and the North half of Subdivision 18 of part of Section 4 of Victoria District, saving and excepting thereout a certain piece of land 35 feet square, situate at the north-easterly corner of Subdivision 18, and subject to a right of way along the southern boundary of the property from the Saanich Road to said north-east corner of said Subdivision. The property is unimproved but eminently suitable for building purposes.
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Of Valuable Agricultural Land, also the Bowker Park Race Track and Buildings.

Tenders will be received by the undersigned until noon Saturday, Sept. 28, 1895, for 3 or 5 years' lease of valuable land consisting of about 40 acres, more or less, known as the Bowker Park, also for the Bowker Park Race Track and Buildings.
Tenders will be received for the whole or separate part of the above property.
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Tenders

Are invited for moving a two-story frame residence and building and addition thereto.
Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of the undersigned, where tenders must be delivered not later than 12 noon on Wednesday, 25th inst.
The successful tenderer will be required to furnish a certified cheque for $750, or other approved security, for the faithful execution of the contract.
W. RIDGWAY WILSON, Architect.
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B. C. PHARMACEUTICAL ASSOCIATION EXAMINATIONS.

The Semi-Annual Examinations of the above Association, for Apprentices, Clerks, or Licentiate Certificate, take place on October 9th and 10th. Intending candidates must notify the Registrar not later than the 25th inst., enclosing fees.
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City Health Matters in Dispute Will be Referred to the Board.

The members of the city council sat as a board of health this morning to again take up the matter of defining the duties of the medical health officer and sanitary inspector. Mayor Teague presided, and Ald. Bragg, Humphrey, Wilson, Williams, Macmillan, Cameron and Hall were present. Dr. George H. Duncan, medical health officer, Sanitary Inspector Conlin and W. J. Taylor, city solicitor, were also in attendance. There was a long general discussion of the matter, participated in by everybody. Ald. Williams desired to give the medical health officer absolute authority, but Ald. Macmillan excepted to that. He believed that there were any number of small matters, particularly nuisances, which came directly under the authority of the sanitary officer and with which the health officer should not be bothered. Conflicts of authority should come before the board.

Mr. Taylor pointed out that the by-law defined their respective duties, but in some sections gave both the right to do the same thing. There were many things which the doctor should not be asked to concern himself in, but as a matter of law when it came down to the fine point the professional man's opinion would be taken first. Mr. Taylor then framed a resolution requiring reference to the board in case of the medical health officer disapproving of the course of the sanitary officer, and it passed with the approval of everybody except Ald. Williams. It was moved by Ald. Cameron and seconded by Ald. Wilson and was as follows:

"Whereas difficulties have arisen between the medical health officer and sanitary inspector as to the extent of their respective powers under the health by-law in case of differences of opinion between such officers and

"Whereas it is desirable to obviate such difficulties,

"Therefore, be it resolved, that in all cases of conflict of opinion between such officers as to the action to be taken in the abatement of nuisances and other health matters that the sanitary inspector shall report the matter to the mayor and await the mayor's approval before taking proceedings with regard thereto."

The board was in session from 10:30 until 12:30 o'clock.

LAW INTELLIGENCE.

Application was made this morning before Mr. Justice Walkem to admit J. C. Prevost to bail. H. D. Helmcken, Q. C., appeared on behalf of the prisoner, and Hon. A. N. Richards, Q. C., and A. G. Smith on behalf of the crown. After some argument the matter was postponed until Monday to enable Mr. Helmcken to submit names of proposed bondsmen.

PERSONAL.

H. Dempsey, of Nanaimo, is at the Oriental.

W. A. Ward returned from Vancouver yesterday.

R. E. Gosnell returned home from the east last night.

J. A. Thompson returned from the Mainland last evening.

J. A. W. Fraser and wife, of Calgary, are at the Driard.

G. A. Jordan, police magistrate of Vancouver, is in the city.

Chief Justice Davie was a passenger last evening from Vancouver.

W. G. Mackenzie and T. Allice were passengers from Vancouver last evening.

J. C. Friendly, Mrs. C. Friendly and Miss Friendly, of Portland, are at the Driard.

Joseph W. Kincaid, of the Weekly Freeman, Dublin, is registered at the Mount Baker hotel.

J. H. Pleace is down from Nanaimo.

J. Mahrer and wife, of Nanaimo, are at the Oriental.

D. D. Mann and T. G. Holt, of Montreal, who are largely interested in the Victoria Hydraulic Mining Co., Cariboo, are at the Driard. Mr. Mann is accompanied by Mrs. Mann, Miss Mann and Miss Williams.

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CHURCH NOTICES.

Order of Services Which Will Be Held at The Various Churches To-Morrow.

The Lord Bishop of Columbia will preach in St. Savior's Church, Victoria West, tomorrow morning.

Metropolitan Methodist Church—Services as usual in the morning. The pastor's evening's subject will be "World No. 1," the first of a series of five worlds.

Emmanuel Baptist Church—Pastor P. H. McEwen will preach at 11 a.m. Subject, "Is the Lord indisposed to help?" At 7 p.m. Rev. D. Lamont, pastor elect of the Mount Vernon Baptist Church, Wash., will preach, subject, "Crossing Over." Sunday School and Pastor's bible class at 2:30 p.m.

St. James Church—11 a.m. Matins, Litany and Sermon. 7 p.m., Evensong and Sermon by Canon Paddon. The harvest festival will be held on Monday at 8 p.m., when the Rt. Rev. the Bishop of Columbia will occupy the pulpit. Contributions of flowers and fruit will be thankfully received. Help in fitting up the decorations on Monday morning and afternoon is also requested.

Congregational Church—The usual services will be held in the Temperance Hall, Pandora street, at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Rev. J. Bushell, late of Port Angeles, will preach both morning and evening. All are welcome.

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MORTGAGE SALE.

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in the several mortgages relating thereto, which several mortgages will be produced at the time of sale, there will be offered for sale by Public Auction, by George Byrnes, Auctioneer, at his Auction Rooms, Yates Street, Victoria, on

Wednesday, the Second Day of October, 1895,

at the hour of 11 o'clock, in the forenoon, the following properties:—

SUBDIVISON 8 OF SUBURBAN LOT XVII., as shown on Map No. 153, filed in the Land Registry Office, Victoria. This property is situated on the north side of Caledonia Avenue, midway between Cook and Chambers streets, and on it is a large two-story Frame Dwelling House with a brick basement.

LOTS 27 AND 28 BLOCK ELEVEN, OAK Bay, acording to Map 379, filed in the Land Registry Office, being part of Sections 2 and 61, Victoria District, situated on the Todd property near Oak Bay. On the property is a 1 1-2 story Frame Cottage in good repair.

LOTS 10 AND 11, BLOCK ELEVEN, according to said Map 379, and being part of Sections 2 and 61, Victoria District. On this property is a two story Frame Dwelling House in good repair.

SUBDIVISION LOTS 5, 6, 7, AND 8 OF Lot 8, Block 4, being a portion of Section 74, Victoria District, according to Map No. 254, filed in the Land Registry Office. This property is situated between Oak Bay Avenue and Cadboro Bay Road, and is highly suitable for building.

LOTS 1014 AND 1015, VICTORIA CITY. These lots are situated on the North East corner of Vancouver and Fort Streets, and on the property is a large cottage.

LEASEHOLD PREMISES, BEING THAT portion of Lot 22, Victoria City, described as commencing on the Southern boundary of said Lot, 2 feet from the South East corner of Lot number 21, thence along Yates Street 42 feet in an Easterly direction, thence North at right angles 120 feet, thence West at right angles 42 feet, thence South 120 feet to the point of commencement. This property is situated on Yates Street, near Douglas, and was leased for the term of 15 years from the 1st November, 1886, at the monthly rental of $40.00, leaving an unexpired term of 6 years from the 1st of November next. On the property are a large store and lodging house, also a brick ware house.

LOT 906, VICTORIA CITY. THIS LOT is situated on the corner of Yates and Cook Streets, and on it is a large two story Frame Dwelling House.

SECTION 1, RANGE 1, WEST, NORTH Saanich, containing 100 acres more or less, said to be covered with fine merchantable cedar.

PART OF SUBDIVISION 4, SECTION 85, Victoria District, known as Lot 8, Gordon Head Grove, as per Map 345.

THOSE PORTIONS OF SECTION 69 and of Subdivisions 6 and 11 of Section 28, Victoria District, described as follows: Commencing at the point of intersection of the Westerly boundary of said Section 29 and the Northern boundary of Cadboro Bay Road, thence following the said Northern boundary of Cadboro Bay Road 11.79 chains, thence North 44.39, West, 4.76 chains, thence Westerly at an angle of 75 degrees, 30 minutes, 9.67 chains to Westerly boundary of said Section 28, thence following said Westerly boundary of Section 28 and the Westerly boundary of Section 29 to the point of commencement, containing 5 1-4 acres, more or less. On this property, which is situated on the Cadboro Bay Road, opposite the Junction of the said Road with the Foul Bay Road, are a 6 roomed Frame Cottage, a two roomed Cottage, and a stable and outhouses.

LOTS 4, 2, 3, 5, 6, 25 AND 30, ON THE plan of Cloverdale (Tolmie) Estate, deposited in the Land Registry Office, at Victoria, No. 51, excepting off the frontage of Lots 2, 3, and 5 on Culduthel Road, Lot 7 on Whittier Avenue and Lot 30 on Burns Avenue, a strip 10 feet in width which is reserved for widening the said highways.

AN UNDIVIDED ONE-FIFTH INTEREST in those portions of Section IV., Victoria District, known as Lots 4, 5, 11, 13 and 14, Block XV., and Lots 1 and 5 Block XVI., Hillside Extension B of the Work Estate, according to the plan deposited in the Land Registry Office No. 240, and in Blocks 1, 9 and 32, of said Section 4, as per plan deposited in the Land Registry office No. 263, and in lots 14 and 15, Block T, Work Estate, as per plan deposited in the said Land Registry Office, No. 33a.

A FURTHER UNDIVIDED ONE-FIFTH interest in Lots 4, 5, 11, 13 and 14, Block XV., and Lots 1 and 5, Block XVI., Hillside Extension B of Work Estate, according to the plan deposited in the Land Registry Office, No. 240, and in Lots 1, 9, and 32 of said Section IV., as per plan deposited in the Land Registry Office, No. 263, and in Lots 14 and 15, Block T, Work Estate, as per plan deposited in said Land Registry Office, No. 33a.

LOTS 1352, 1365 AND 1366, VICTORIA City, situated on Erie Street, and having a deep water frontage on the Outer harbor. This is a valuable property, adjoining leading industries.

LOT 120, GROUP 1, NEW WESTMINSTER District. This property immediately adjoins the city limits of Vancouver.

LOT 31 OF SECTION 23 AND 24, BECKley Farm. On this property are two five roomed Cottages. This property is rented steadily at a good rental.

LOTS 4 AND THE WEST HALF OF LOT 5, Section 61, Spring Ridge, excepting thereout the Westerly 7 feet 10 1-2 inch. of the said Westerly half of said lot 5. On this property are four two story double frame dwellings, containing 8 tenancies, partially let at good rentals.

THAT PART OF SECTION IV., VICTORIa District, now Victoria City, as the same is shown on the plan deposited in the Land Registry Office, Victoria, number 162, save and except Lots 1, 2, 3, 16, 17, 20, 21. This property is situated at the junction of Government and Douglas Streets, being bounded by those streets and by Bay Street; it comprises, exclusive of those above excepted, 25 Lots, well situated for building purposes.

LOT 22, BLOCK F, STRAWBERRY Vale, according to Map 361, deposited in the Land Registry Office, Victoria.

LOT 86, GROUP 2, NEW WESTMINSTER District, with Dwellings and Barns, and mostly all under cultivation.

LOT 35, WORK ESTATE, ACCORDING to Map 263, filed in the Land Registry Office, being part of Section IV., Victoria District, and now in the City of Victoria, containing 5 39-100 acres, more or less, excepting out of said Lot 25, Lot 29 according to the subdivision thereof, as shown by Map 378, filed in said Land Registry Office. This property is situated on the corner of Cook Street and King's Road, and extends to Eighth Street on the East, and is bounded on the South by the Northern boundary of Lot 40. It is subdivided and comprises 34 Lots in all, one of which, Lot 29 is already sold.

SUBDIVISION LOT 6 OF CITY LOTS 953, 1304, 1305, 1306, 1307, 1308 and 1309, according to Map deposited in the Land Registry Office, No. 315.

SUBDIVISION 16 OF FIVE ACRE LOT number XII., in the City of Victoria. On this property is a 6 roomed Frame Cottage, and is situated on the South side of Chatham street, just below Cook; now let to a good tenant at $10 per month.

LOT NO. 7, ON GRAHAM ISLAND, Queen Charlotte District, at Massett, containing 1015 acres more or less, with buildings and improvements; partly cultivated. This is the property of the Rev. Charles Harrison.

LOT 16, OAKLAND ESTATE, PART OF Sections 29 and 30, Victoria District, and containing 3 3-4 acres, more or less. On this property is situated a Frame Dwelling House and outbuildings.

LOT 17, HIGHLAND DISTRICT, CONtaining 161 acres. Lot 23, Highland District, containing 165 acres. Section 14, Range 1 West, South Saanich. Section 15, Range 1 West, South Saanich. Section 15, Range 2 West, South Saanich. Together with right of way through Section 15, Range 1 East, from the West Saanich Road to and from the said property. On these properties are well developed lime quarries with kilns.

ALL THAT PORTION OF LOT 1195 having a frontage of the whole Lot, saving the Westerly 12 feet thereof, and having a depth of 77 feet 6 inches; with two story Dwelling House, let at a fair rental.

SECTION 6 AND 7, RANGE 2, COMIAKen District, in the Province of British Columbia, containing 169 acres, more or less with a two story Dwelling.

SUBDIVISION 16 AND 17 OF LOTS 1777, 1778, 1779, 1780, 1781, 1782, 1783, 1784, 1785, 1786, 1787, 1788, 1789, 1790 and 1791, according to Map filed in the Land Registry Office, No. 175. Close to new Government Building and highly desirable for building purposes.

THOSE PORTIONS OF LOTS 182 AND 183, Vancouver District, being an undivided 1-4 interest of and in Subdivision J, of Lot 182, and Subdivision D of Lot 183, said Subdivision J containing 3 61-100 acres, and said Subdivision D containing 12 13-100 acres, more or less, all in the city of Vancouver.

PART OF BLOCK N PEMBERTON ESTate, in the city of Victoria, and containing one acre. On this property is a large two story Frame and Concrete Dwelling, also outbuildings, etc.

AN UNDIVIDED ONE-FIFTH INTEREST in that portion of Section XI., Lake District, Vancouver Island, lying to the West of the Saanich Road, and containing 15 acres.

PART OF VICTORIA CITY LOTS 1286, 1280 and 1281, commencing at a point on the West line of Montreal Street, 66 feet North from the South East corner of Lot 1280, thence running Northerly along the Western line of Montreal Street 110 feet, thence at right angles Westerly to the water, thence along the water in a Southerly direction to a point in Lot 1281, from which a line extended in an Easterly direction and parallel with the Northern boundary of said land, will strike the point of commencement. On this property is a fine two story Dwelling House, with all modern conveniences. The property has a deep water frontage on Victoria harbor.

PART OF SECTION 19 AND 20, RANGE VIII., Quamichan District, described as started at a post planted on the shore of Quamichan Lake, 4 chains South of the Northern boundary of said District, thence in a South Westerly direction to a point on Range line 7 and 8in said District, 7 chains South of the North boundary, thence due South 13 chains to corner post Section 19 and 20, Range 7 and 8, thence in a South Easterly direction to a post planted on West bank of Quamichan Creek, thence 3 9-10 chains North to Lake shore, thence following Lake shore to point of commencement, containing 58 9-10 acres, more or less. With a summer residence; fine shooting and fishing in the immediate neighborhood.

THE WEST HALF OF SECTION 14, and the East half of Section 15, Township 4, Barclay District, containing 640 acres, more or less.

THE NORTH HALF OF SECTION 29, Township No. 1, said Barclay District, containing 164 acres, more or less.

LOT 468, GROUP 1, NEW WESTMINster District, containing 200 acres, more or less.

AN UNDIVIDED ONE-FIFTH INTEREST in that portion of Section 95, Victoria District, lying to the West of the Saanich Road, and containing 177 acres. The greater portion of this land is under cultivation and rents for from $400 to $500 per annum.

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Dated September 14th, 1895.